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POSTOPERATIVE ADMINISTRATION
OF A PHARMACOLOGIC
CARDIOVASCULAR AGENT

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7/23/01***NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated January 4, 2001 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-6, 13-16, and 49-51 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for 3 month(s):
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 is submitted herewith.
2. A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
3. A fee in the amount of \$310.00 is:
 Required.
 Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
4. Applicant has qualified for the 50% reduction in fee for an independent inventor, non profit organization or small business concern and a fee in the amount of \$155.00 is:
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5. Please charge the required fee, if any, to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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